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8 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**
9 **EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**
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11 KIMBERLY JOYCE HOWELL,) Case No.: 1:25-cv-0135 JLT CDB
12 Plaintiff,)
13) ORDER REMANDING THE MATTER
14 v.) PURSUANT TO SENTENCE FOUR OF 42 U.S.C.
15) § 405(g)
16 LELAND DUDEK,) (Doc. 11)
17 Acting Commissioner of Social Security¹,) ORDER DIRECTING ENTRY OF JUDGMENT IN
18 Defendant.) FAVOR OF PLAINTIFF KIMBERLY JOYCE
HOWELL AND AGAINST DEFENDANT
LELAND DUDEK, ACTING COMMISSIONER
OF SOCIAL SECURITY

19 Kimberly Joyce Howell and the Acting Commissioner of Social Security stipulated to a
20 voluntary remand for further administrative proceedings under sentence four of 42 U.S.C. § 405(g).
21 (Doc. 11.) Pursuant to the stipulation, the final decision of the Commissioner is reversed, and upon
22 remand the administrative law judge shall issue a new decision. (*Id.* at 1.) In addition, the parties agree
23 that judgment should be entered in favor of Plaintiff and against the Commissioner. (*Id.*) Based upon
24 the terms of the stipulation, the Court **ORDERS**:

- 25 1. The matter is **REMANDED** for further administrative proceedings under sentence four
26 of 42 U.S.C. § 405(g).
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28 ¹ Leland Dudek became the Acting Commissioner of Social Security in February 2025. Pursuant to Rule 25(d) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, Leland Dudek is substituted as the defendant in this action.

- 1 2. The Clerk of Court is directed to enter judgment in favor of Plaintiff Kimberly Joyce
2 Howell and against Defendant Leland Dudek, Acting Commissioner of Social Security.

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4 IT IS SO ORDERED.

5 Dated: **April 4, 2025**


UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE